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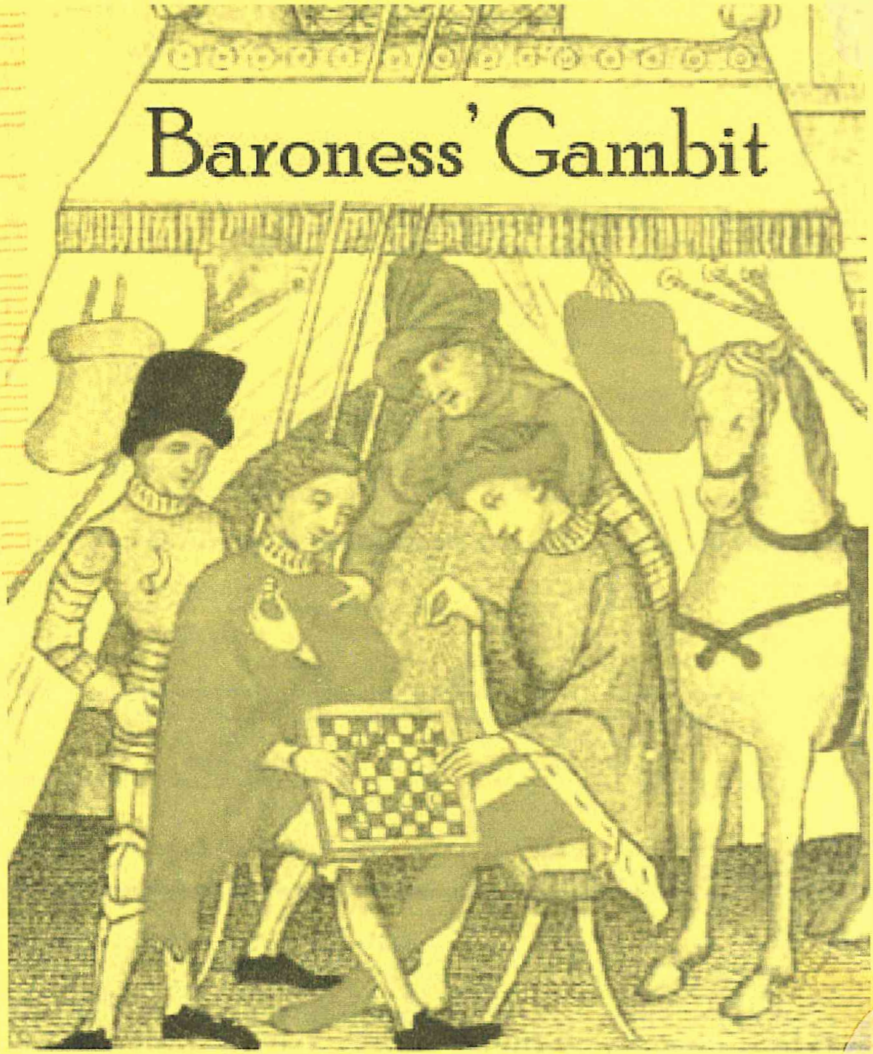

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May 3, 2008

Official Calendar of Events

April 2008			
	♣	2	Pheons and Phules Archery Tournament (Caerthe) Ailinn 303-452-0717
	♣	5	Some-Thing (Windkeep) Catriona 307-433-8241
◈◘	♣	5	A Sworded Affaire (Fontaine dans Sable) Lasairfhiona 505-793-5789
◈◘	♣	12	Kingdom Arts & Sciences (Dragonsspine) Cecelia 719-414-3484
◈◘	♣	19	Danse Mystère & Baronial Investiture (Unser Hafen) Helene 970-590-7602
	♣	26	Mountain Mayhem (Readstan) Genevieve 720-291-1147
	♣	27	May Day (Caer Galen) Lucrezia 719-232-4534 - **UPDATED Date**
May 2008			
	♣	3	Baroness' Gambit (Caerthe) Forrester (720-560-0627) & MaelMarden (719-385-0812)
◈◘	♣	10-11	Outlands Coronation (Unser Hafen) Nikolaos 970-356-0943
		15-18	Quest for Camelot (Northshield) Kolfrosta 605-430-0979 www.schattentor.org/event/quest/quest.html
	♣	21-26	Grand Outlandish (al-Barran) JT 505-315-6095
	♣	22-26	Crossroads (Hawks Hollow) Roland 303-341-5765
June 2008			
	♣	6-8	Archery Extravaganza (Blackwater Keep) Mari (575-763-5359)
	♣	20-21	Jester's Folly (Caer Galen) Cera (303-883-1743)
	♣	27-29	Quest for Valhalla (al-Barran) Bronwen (505-550-4875)
July 2008			
	♣	2-6	Glory XI (Unser Hafen) William 970-482-1586
	♣	10-13	Lonely Mountain Defender (Drygestan) Maimuna (505-670-3594)
	♣	18-20	Elizabeth Celtic Festival (Ravenhurst) Medb 303-781-1222
	♣	19	Blackwater Keep A&S (Blackwater Keep) Fearghus (575-825-0123)
	♣	25-27	Caer Galen Defender (Caer Galen) Keridwen (303-903-4231)

Royal Progress:

⊙ - His Majesty plans to attend . O - Her Majesty plans to attend.

◈ - Their Majesties both plan on attending.

● - His Highness plans to attend. ○ - Her Highness plans to attend.

◘ - Their Highnesses both plan on attending.

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Official events are marked with a ♣ on the above calendar.

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Alrik and Slaine, King and Queen of the Mighty Outlands, send heartfelt greetings.

It is with great pleasure that we welcome and congratulate Our heirs, Boleslav and Astrid. We also applaud all of the combatants and consorts of Our Crown Tournament for the chivalry and courtesy displayed. We would also like to thank Our Shire of Gleann Medonach for hosting a spectacular Crown Tournament.

We went to the Citadel of the Southern Pass to invest Aine and Nikolaus as Baron and Baroness. We are confident in their ability to follow in the very large footsteps of Baron Giovanni and Baroness Muireann.

We will be busy in April and hope to see everyone at Sworded Affair in Fontaine dans Sable, Kingdom A & S in Dragonsspine and Unser Hafen's Investiture of its new Baron and Baroness.

Although maybe a little late, We want to say that Estrella WAR was spectacular. Our glorious army of artisans, archers, rapier fighters, heavy fighters and volunteers is one to be reckoned with. We have never been more proud to be Outlanders.

ALRIK Slaine

Rex Outlandium Regina Outlandium

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His Royal Highness Boleslav

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Lady Miassa
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THLord Khalid
THLord Gunndiarfr Magnúsarson
THLord Fierren Greenholm
THLord Oliver Mordrake
Lord Dreyfus Kravyn McKillin
Lord Kaz DeRhode
Lord Wolf Torinson
Lord Chagatai Burilgi
Lord Gwydion McKay
Lord Nathaniel McPherson

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Mistress Seuilla de Cordoba
Lady Natal'ia Mechislavova
Lady Dearbhail ingen Leod (Jervel)

*Grieve, from the OED, cited as early as 950
1. a. A governor of a province, town, etc. Now only *Hist.* = SHERIFF. **b.** = GRAVE *n.*[3] *Obs.*
2. *Sc.* and *north.* The overseer, manager, or head-workman on a farm; a farm-bailiff.

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Kingdom Seneschal

Greetings unto the Noble Outlands.

As the spring arrives thoughts turn to the camping and tourney season. I urge you to travel out or your own groups and if possible visit an event of at least one other group in the Outlands. You will make many new friends and enjoy the SCA experience much more.

I enjoyed traveling to Roswell for Crown Tourney, and congratulations to Their Royal Highnesses, may Their Reign be fruitful.

I want to thank the Barony of Unser Hafen for their hospitality at the Unser Hafen Baronial Polling.

Congratulations also to the new Baron and Baroness of the Citadel of the Southern Pass. I am certain that they will do a fantastic job.

In service,
Duncan Alastair MacRae, OP

White Stag

My thanks to THL Angus, Plover Herald, and the other volunteers who made Crown Tournament a lovely and audible experience, and to Lady Searlaith, Kingdom MoL, for her calm coordination at the list table.

The Cover Letter to the October 2007 LoAR includes several items of note: the Administrative Handbook is undergoing a full review, applicants for the Sovereign of Arms positions are listed, defaults (or the lack thereof) for several charges were defined, and a reminder of how to deal with charged sails on ships used in armory. For the full text of these items and a couple of miscellaneous minor notes, please see the appropriate LoAR listing here: http://sca.org/heraldry/loar/

Heralds and seneschals - if your group is changing from one herald to another, you need to contact me, preferably in advance.

Serving Crown and heraldry,
Marie de Blois

Earl Marshal

As we move from colder weather to warmer temperatures, take to time to adjust your personal kit. Water should always be in your kit, items to repair your equipment, a little bit of something to eat after fighting hard, and of course, always have a paper with your name, address and phone number on it. Also include a name of someone to notify if you are injured. That paper can help someone contact your loved ones if you are injured.

The rain and wet from war will have a negative impact on your equipment. Check the foam, padding and leather. Replace foam, padding and re-oil the leather (including straps) and keep your equipment in shape.

Yours in Service,

Sir Dennis the Wright

Minister of Arts & Sciences

Greetings,
Congratulations to the Outlands for bringing home the Estrella A&S War Banner. It was a tough competition and the Outlands had entries in every category, Huzzah Outlanders! A big CONGRATULATIONS to Master Thomas Frazier, he won 1st in the External Footwear category. When they were announcing the winners in court, we were tied for the A&S War point until they announced Master Thomas, they saved the best for last (though it made us a little squirmy), Congratulations Master Thomas.

Thank you to the judges who took their time out of other Estrella activities to judge the competition. Mistress Francesca di Pavia, Sir Domingo Diaz de la Vega y Martin and THL Llywus ap Alan, thank you for judging.

So, to get things started early, here is a list of the 2009 Estrella A&S Competition. The three categories for the A&S competition are chosen one year ahead of time to allow the competitors ample time to prepare entries.

Measuring ('Scientific') Instruments - includes any working tool modeled after those used prior to 1600 AD to measure or compare the magnitude of any physical properties or combinations thereof (e.g., length, time, angle, distance, etc). A single tool or a set of tools used for one specific set of measurements may be entered.

Metal Weapons – includes forms of weapons used prior to 1600 AD where the "killing end" is formed of a single finished piece metal (e.g., blades, metal arrowheads, axe and hammer heads, spear points, etc.). The primary focus of the judging will be the metal portion of the weapon entered. Siege engine and powder-driven projectiles are specifically excluded.

Silver-Based Entry – a single entry that uses silver in some way that best displays the use of the metal in a pre-1600 AD context. Judging will take into account how silver is featured in the entry. Hazardous and/or toxic materials used in a manner that may expose judges and audience to harm are expressly forbidden, and use of any such materials must be detailed within the documentation. [Note: This Category was selected, in part, as this year celebrates the "silver anniversary" of Estrella War.]

Kingdom A&S Competition is this month and it's not to late to sign up to be a judge, help tally etc. Hope everyone has safe travels to this event and all good luck, I will see you there.

Yours in Service,
M. Tana a l'Esprit Fort

Marshal of Fence

Unto the Rapier fighters of the Outlands Greetings!
Hopefully all who ventured to Estrella had a great time, and have managed to clean off all the mud. Remember to thoroughly clean your blades and remember rust can hide in unexpected places after that much saturation. This office is always looking for suggestions to make it better, so I ask you to take a moment and drop a line with what you liked, what you didn't and what would make War better. For those who have already done this, thank you!

The tourney season is soon upon us, so take another moment and make sure your gear is in good shape, your authorizations and membership are current and your skills are honed. Don Ulrich will be taking up this office at Grand Outlandish, so if you are interested in serving the marshallate, please contact him.

In Service
Christian

Archer General

Greetings Mighty Outlands Archers.

Estrella War was, as usual, a very interesting event. We started out Thursday by having a few prize shoots. In the afternoon the range was opened for the Royals. Then the rain began. It rained Thursday night, all day Friday, and part of Friday night. Needless to say, there was no archery on Friday. Finally, at noon on Saturday, the range was deemed dry enough to shoot for the war point. There was a good showing despite difficulties in spreading the word that the range was finally open. As you probably know, Atenveldt/Caid took the war point, but not by much. There was only a 40 point difference in both categories.

I'd like to thank all of you who helped to set up, tear down and run the ranges. Without you I would have never survived.

Yours in Service
Baron Daniel Larke del Glen

Minister of the List

Crown Tournament has come and gone with much success! Successors were named and the Kingdom will remain in good hands. Thank you to all those who helped with running the List and to the Heralds for all your hard and diligent work. Lunch and Dinner were wonderful (as always), but the added treat of breakfast was divine! Thank you to Mistress Monika von Zell and her helpers for such a wonderful breakfast and lunch buffet.

Now our eyes turn toward Coronation. My deputy, Lady Gaerial. will be coordinating and running this list. At this time I plan on being there, but one never knows what may happen between now and then.

Have a wonderful April!
Bantiarna Sáerlaith (Shyla) inghean Roibeard

Their Majesties Calontir invite the Known World to

Lilies War XXII -- June 13 – 22, 2008
"Grand Tournament of the Artisans"

- Take up sword or bow to support your favorite guild
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- But.....don't miss Lilies XXII!

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More information at www.calontir.sca.org/lilieswar/lilies22

Minister of Children

Unto the great populace of the Outlands does Lady Jayne Barber, Kingdom Minister of Children send greetings.

February was a very busy month with lots of questions from our Seneschals regarding youth activities, the new Background Checks policies, and various SCA policy requirements. There were also new year-end reporting requirements from Society regarding youth activities and a new year-end Outlands Youth Activities Reporting Form. Many emails were exchanged as some of these new policies developed and evolved and as terms in these new policies were defined. My thanks and appreciation to all who helped this process by asking questions.

The new Background Check Implementation Policy limits background checks to be required only of warranted Youth Officers (Minister of Children Officers.) Neither background checks nor having a Minister of Children Officer is required for local groups to have youth activities. However, per Master Aaron Swiftrunner, Society Seneschal, all activities (at an event or elsewhere), which appear to be youth activities and which are advertised in any way at an event, on the local list, before an event, in a newsletter – will be considered to be official youth activities and will be subject to all SCA policies. These policies include the "Two-Deep" Rule, which requires a minimum of two unrelated adults to be present at these youth activities and provides for steps to be taken when there are not two or more unrelated adults present. See the 5/19/07 Memorandum of Master Aaron Swiftrunner, Society Seneschal (George Reed, VP of Operations) expanding The Society Seneschal Policy for Youth Activities for further details on this policy.

May begins our Outlands camping event season and often there are youth activities at these events. We hope you will volunteer to help with these activities, provide opportunities for our youth to be in service, help them with their A&S projects, teach them a marshal skill, recommend them for local and kingdom youth awards, and take time to mentor a child or teen.
In Service to the Outlands,
Lady Jane Barber

People of England, to you I bring dark news.
This 23rd day of April, St. George's day, in the year 1016, your King, Aethelred II, died. His body will be laid to rest in St. Paul's Cathedral.
I have been chosen by the councellors present in London to succeed him as King of England, and have been crowned Edmund II. Emma, widow of Aethelred, and his sons Edred and Edward remain in London, and are well.

It is the tale of our time that we are not at leisure to grieve our fallen King. The Viking army of Canute is making way for London and I believe they intend to lay siege to the city itself before the high Summer.

Take courage, good people of England; the House of Wessex will not end here! The crisis comes, but there is hope. We are not powerless or without allies, nor do we lack the will to fight. We have not sat idly by as the invaders approach. Our army is growing daily, and we prepare to march to meet the challenge.

Edmund, King of England
London, April 25, 1016

Glory XI --- July 2-6
www.glorywar.org

Pheons and Phules Archery Tournament
Wednesday, April 2, 2008
6 PM - 9 PM
Sponsored by the Barony of Caerthe
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Fee: $6.00 payable to the proprietor, "Archery Adventures"
Site is DRY

It is time for phun shooting, or is that pun shooting, or whatever. Please come and plan on having a good time with a variety of shoots. The tournament will begin at 7 PM sharp, to make sure we can complete the tournament before the range closes at 9 PM. Garb is most welcome since this is a published tournament, but not absolutely necessary since this is a weeknight. Prizes will be crunchy and sweet. Hand bows and crossbows will compete separately. The tournament will be held at our regular winter practice site, Archery Adventures, and the cost to shoot is $6.00 paid to the proprietor. There is no additional site fee. Of course, the site is completely bone dry. Bring your archery authorization cards.

Directions : take your best route to the intersection of E. 39th Ave. and Peoria St. Turn East on 39th Ave. to Revere St. Turn South (right) on Revere St. 3820 Revere St. is on the left side of the road, about half way down the block. We will not be putting up SCA signs.

Windkeep Some-Thing
Shire of Windkeep, April 5, 2008
Site opens 11:00 AM – closes 10:00 PM
Eagles Lodge, 1600 Thomes Ave, Cheyenne, WY 82001
Event Steward: Mistress Catriona nic Aoidh (Katina Wilson)
235 Miller Lane, Cheyenne, WY 82009, 307-433-8241, katwilson@earthlink.net
Event Cook: THL Furukusu Masahide (John Newton),
303-255-9914, masahide@summerscauldron.com
Fees: Adult $5 site/$5 feast, Child 6-12, $2.50 site/$2.50 feast; under 6, free; Family cap $30
There is a $3.00 surcharge for non-members
Make checks payable to "SCA Inc. – Windkeep"
Alcohol is available through a cash bar on site only

The Household of the Twisted Spoon will be preparing a donation lunch. There will be tables provided for arts & sciences display. Those who wish to include documentation may compete for a prize. Space will also be available for those who wish just to exhibit.

Classes for the afternoon currently include:
Middle-Eastern Dancing for the Terminally Shy – Mistress Brianna
Basic Middle-Eastern Clothing – Lady Kalidah
Struck Coins – Lord William de Kari
Gardening – Mistress Thorhalla
Fighting with Honor discussion – Duke Olaf
and possibly a heraldic consulting table...
Also, various board games will be available in the hall throughout the day.

There will be 66 seats available for the feast. A paid reservation will guarantee your seat.
The event cook has proposed a menu with a little something for everyone:
First remove: Bread, cheese, nuts, olives, boiled eggs, onion soup
Second remove: Loin of pork, carrots, millet
Third remove: Great pies of beef and chicken, turnips armored with cheese
Questions regarding feast may be directed to the Cook.

After feast, among whatever more refined entertainments we can devise, there will also be a few rousing rounds of heraldic Twister.
Directions: From Interstate 25, exit at Wyoming Exit 9, East Lincolnway. Go east on Lincolnway approximately 1.6 miles to Thomes Ave. The Eagles Lodge is on the northwest corner of Lincolnway and Thomes.

Sworded Affair: Dead Men Tell No Tales
April 5, 2008
Site Opens at 8am, Closes at 9pm
Hosted by the Barony of Fontaine dans Sable
Tibbetts Middle School, 312 E. Apache Farmington, NM 87401
Autocrats: Lady Lasairfhiona inghean an Seanchaidhe
(Krista Lewis) ladylouie_72@hotmail.com (505) 793-5789
Geoffrey Thatcher (Geoffrey Lewis), geoffrey3182@hotmail.com (505) 947-5677
Site Fee: $8 adults $4 children (5-12) (includes feast)
There is a $3 non-member fee
Make checks payable to "SCA Inc. – Fontaine dans Sable"
Site is DRY

Ahoy Mateys! Their Excellencies, Qara Gan and Ceara, invite the mighty Rapier fighters to join them for a day of clashing swords.

Shiver me Timbers! The autocrats have put together a mighty fine list of tournaments. Join us for a Bar Room Brawl. Find out why all the Rum is gone. Play a game of Pirate Dice or Walk the Plank and Find yerself in Davy Jones Locker.

Fighters please bring an item for the Prize Table.

Dust off that skull and crossbones, brush up on yer pirate talk, sharpen yer blades and join us for Dead Men Tell No Tales!

Hello friends - Do you find yourselves suffering from That After War Let Down? Do you ever say to yourself "Now that the war is over, what do I do with my blades?" Or are you itching all over to get back in the action? If you answered yes to any of the above questions you may be experiencing what is known as "Post-War Depression Syndrome" or PWDS. This is a potentially serious condition, but there is hope!

Introducing "Sworded Affair 2008"! "Sworded Affair 2008" is a way for those suffering from PWDS to get back in the action and take control of their blades once again. With over 10 tournaments it is sure to cure That After War Let Down. For more information about "Sworded Affair 2008" please visit our website www.fontainesca.org/sworded

"Sworded Affair 2008" may not be for every one. Side effects my include: Excitement, excessive sweat, heavy breathing, thirst, satisfaction, prizes, inflated ego, over celebrating, lots of recognition, attracting or the opposite sex and Body Order. Check with your Rapier marshal if you are concerned about participating in "Sworded Affair 2008". Finally there is Hope!

Lady Beatrice and Lord Robert have begun preparations for a feast fit or any pirate. We'll be whetting our appetites with Land Lover's Pie, Fish Eye Pudding and other tasty morsels.

Feastocrats: Lady Beatrice Moffat and Lord Robert Moffat
Please contact Lord Robert with any food allergies. mllewis9171@msn.com

For Merchant Information please contact Lady Melangell Dwn forgotten101@yahoo.com

Directions: From the North take 550 South to Aztec. Follow the Aztec HWY into Farmington. Stay on Main St. until you get to Butler Ave. Turn Right on Butler. The next street is Apache St. Go through the light and turn left onto Comanche for Parking.
From the South take 550 North to Bloomfield. Turn Right onto US 64 and follow it into Farmington until you reach Butler Ave. Turn Right onto Butler. The third light is Apache St. Go through the light and turn left on Comanche for Parking.

Kingdom Arts and Sciences
April 12, 2008
Opens - 9:00 am Closes - 6:00 pm
Hosted by the Barony of Dragonsspine
Autocrat: Cecilia Wrenne (coloradowench1976@yahoo.com),
7311 Colonial Court, Fountain, CO 80817, 719-494-3484 no calls after 9pm please
Site Location: Sierra High School, 2250 Jet Wing Drive, Colorado Springs, CO 80916
Site Fees: Adult $15, Child (Age 5 – 12) $5.00, Child under the age of 5 Free

Calling all Artists and Scientists, the Kingdom A&S Competition will be held in the Barony of Dragonsspine on the 12th of April. Competition will be held in the following Divisions and Categories. Research Papers must be to the Kingdom Minister of Arts and Sciences by the competition pre-registration deadline.

A Donation lunch will be provided that will go to the Kingdom Travel Fund and to the Dragonsspine Fighters to help fund the site for fighter practice. If the items available are not pleasing to your palate, there are many modern fast food restaurants near to the site. There will be no feast for this event, to allow people travel time. Also if you would like crash space, please contact Trevor at trevor_floyd@yahoo.com.

Divisions and Categories can be found on the next page.

Entries must be on site and checked in by 9:30 am and ready to be judged by 10:00 am.

Competition Pre Registration:
Pre-registration is required and can be done by either of two ways: 1. by filling out the entry form that is on the Kingdom web page under "Library", A&S Forms or 2. by e-mailing the following information to the Kingdom A&S Officer, M. Tana a l'Esprit Fort at: artsand-sciences@outlands.org for each entry:
Artisan SCA Name:
Artisan Mundane Name:
Artisan E-mail Address:
Artisan Phone Number:
Artisan Membership #:
Division:
Category (if Known):
Item Being Entered:
Item description:
Are you entering for overall Kingdom A & S champion?
Is this the first time entering Kingdom A&S Competition?

Important Note: Due to the quantity of Research Papers last year, all Research papers are physically due by the pre-registration deadline. Papers can be turned into me either by mail or email by Sunday, March 30th @ 11:00 PM for judging.

The last day to pre-register will be Sunday, March 30th @ 11:00 PM. Rules for Kingdom A & S can be found along with the list of categories on the Kingdom A & S web page. Please contact the Kingdom A&S Officer if you have any questions specifically about the competition.

Site Restrictions: This SITE IS VERY DRY, BONE DRY! As it is a school, there is also no smoking on school grounds, so you must go across the street if you want to smoke.

Site Pre Registration: Reservations can be mailed to:
Barony of Dragonsspine Or to Lady Angel d'Auvergne (Maria Willis)
PO Box 374 114 Harvard
Colorado Springs, CO 80901 Colorado Springs, CO 80911
Wild_orchid1971 @ yahoo.com

Secondary Site for Brewers: Wine Crafters (formerly known as My Home Brewstore), 625 Paonia Street, Colorado Springs, CO 80915. Maps to the secondary site will be available.

Directions: Take the King's Highway (I-25) to the South Academy Exit 136, head north (away from the mountains) for approximately 3 miles, take a right on Astrozon Blvd then a left on Jet Wing Drive, Sierra High School will be on the left.

Kingdom A&S Divisions and Categories

I. Visual Art

1. Calligraphy and/or Illumination
2. Ceramics & Pottery
3. Decorative Metal Work
4. Glasswork
5. Decorative Leatherwork
6. Heraldic Design
7. Sculpture
8. Miscellaneous Crafts

II. Fiber Art

1. Costuming (all periods)
2. Costume Accessories
3. Needlework
4. Lace Making
5. Spinning & Weaving
6. Miscellaneous Crafts

III. Domestic Arts and Sciences

1. Brewing & Vinting
2. Breads & Sweets
3. Main & Side Dishes
4. Herbalism
5. Miscellaneous Crafts

IV. Performing Arts

1. Dramatic Reading
2. Poetry & Prose
3. Instrumental Music
4. Vocal Music
5. Dance – court, ethnic, etc.
6. Miscellaneous Performances

V. Letters

1. Poetry
2. Prose
3. Research Papers (including persona)
4. Original Song Lyrics
5. Miscellaneous Written Entries

VI. Functional Art

1. Armor
2. Ironwork & Tool Making
3. Woodworking
4. Musical Instruments
5. Scientific Instruments
6. Weapon Making
7. Miscellaneous Crafts

Danse Mystère and Unser Hafen Baronial Investiture
Saturday, April 19, 2008
Site Opens at 11:00 am and closes at 11:00 pm
Hosted by the Canton of Bofharrach
Tri-Pointe Events Center West entrance - 3001 8th Ave Evans, CO 80620
Autocrat: Lady Hélène Boudain (Kathy Egan)
2114 42nd Ave Greeley. CO 80634 970-590-7602
All these wonders are included in the site fee of $10, Children 8 & under $5,
Family cap of $30, Non-member surcharge of $3 applies.
Checks made payable to "SCA Inc. – Bofharrach"
Site is wet, but beverages may only be purchased from onsite cash bar.
Outside food/drink is not allowed on site. No Pets, service animals only.

The Canton of Bofharrach proudly invites you to celebrate Unser Hafen Baronial Investiture and Revive your Joy of the Dance!

But wait you say -- who are the new Baron and Baroness? We don't yet know – it's a mystery!

Danse Mystère: a celebration of dance, music, song and the words of the bards.

Formal Dance classes & Music rehearsal from 12:30 to 3:30.
Break from 3:30 to the beginning of the Investiture Court at 5:30 or at the whim of their Majesties.

Dancing commences immediately following court with Bards and Singers dazzling you all night. Dance for hours -- not just a few minutes!
Coffee, Tea, Lemonade served all day & all night to thirsty dancers plus everyone else.
Well stocked cash bar with dark beers, whiskey and mead – sorry, no outside beverages allowed. Saxon Low Tea [instead of English High Tea] with sweets and savories will be available from 6 to 9

For heartier fare a catered Pauper's Meal of soups and breads will be available from 4-7 for $10. Reservations & prepayments for Pauper's Meal required by April 10th after which no refunds can be made. Should you need to cancel let us know and we will make it available at troll. Restaurants are within easy walking or driving distance.

Reservations gratefully accepted at heleneboudain@yahoo.com Please inform of any food allergies

From I-25 south or north, take Highway 34 east to Greeley. Turn right [south] on 11th Avenue [stoplight]. Go 2 blocks then turn left [east] on 29th Street Road which goes into the West Entrance parking lot.
Highway 85 north from Denver: Turn left [west] at 31st Street [stoplight]. Immediately take a right onto the frontage road. Tri-Pointe Event Center is two blocks down on your left. Turn into main entrance and continue to the right of the building to reach the West Entrance. Google & MapQuest will take you to the east entrance. Drive to right of building to reach the West entrance.

Mountain Mayhem

Sponsored by: Canton of Readstan

Date: April 26, 2008 **Site opens** at 9am and **closes** at 6pm

Location: Cornerstone Park, 5150 S Windermere Street, Littleton Co., Southeast corner.

Co - Autocrats: Lord Viga- Vikingr i Horni (Randy Jones) &
THL Trenette Genevieve Thibaudeau (Char Bernardin)
8156-E South Wadsworth Blvd. #304, Littleton, CO 80128, 303-953-1904

Site& Fees: Adults are $4.00, plus $3.00 surcharge for non-members.
Children 5-16: $2.00. Infants and toddlers age 0-4 are free, Family cap of $16.00.
Checks payable to "SCA Inc. – Readstan"
The site is DRY.

Thin air can make you mad!
Come join the antics and maniac tournaments at this VERY informal, only-fun-need-apply event! There will be silliness, mayhem, and madness for all who attend. There will be fighting for both heavy and rapier, bring your blue and green cards please. We will have an A&S people's choice competition and display, a Helm & Mask Auction, Lunch Box Auction (some of the finest of culinary delights), Dancing the Maypole, Hobby Horse Races, and Silent Auction.

Warning! Be prepared for bizarre and unusual activities! DO bring your cash, as this is a fund raising event for Canton of Readstan.

Prizes will be awarded for Patron of Readstan (he/she who donates the most in our auctions, combined), for the winners of Heavy Weapons, Rapier, Both Heavy & Light Surprise Melees and Ladies of the Gallery Boffer Melee, and People's Choice Arts & Sciences Winner.

Nothing about this event is discreet.
Cornerstone Park has public park restrooms, water, and limited tables and shade and ample free parking.

Schedule:

9:00 Site opens
9:30 Troll Opens/Lists Open
10:00 Opening Court
11:00 Helm & Mask Auctions
11:30 Tournaments, A&S Populaces Choice & Children's Hobby Horse Construction
1:00 Lunch Box Auction
2:00 Children's Horse Race
2:30 Heavy & Light Surprise Fun Melees
4:00 Closing Silent Auction/Ladies of the Gallery Boffer Melee
4:30 Closing Court/Prizes/Maypole
5:00 Clean up
6:00 Vacate site

Prizes will be awarded for winners of the tournaments as well as to the holder of their helm or mask. For the Surprise Fun Tourneys, prizes will be awarded to the Winners and for the Best Death. For the Ladies of the Gallery Boffer Melee prize will be awarded to the survivor of the melee and to her bidder.

Tournaments & Melees:

Heavy Weapons Tournaments
Heavy Weapons Surprise Fun Melee
Light Weapons Tournaments
Light Weapons Surprise Fun Melee
Ladies of the Gallery Boffer Melee

Directions: From the North - take your best route to I-25 and Santa Fe (85); travel south on Santa Fe I-85 to Belleview Rd. Turn left heading east on Belleview Road. Go to Windermere (next light) and turn right heading south. **From the South** - take your best route to C-470 and Santa Fe (85). Head north on Santa Fe (85) to Belleview Rd. Turn right heading east on Belleview Rd. Go to Windermere (next light) and turn right heading south.
From the East: take your best route to I-25 and Belleview Rd. Head west on Belleview to Windermere Rd. Turn left heading south on Windermere Rd. **ALL**: Once on Windermere Rd., go to the next light, Prentice, turn left heading east on Prentice. Pass the park and turn left at the next street, S. Hickory, turn left again into parking lot. Cornerstone Park, 5150 S Windermere Street, Littleton Co., Southeast corner. Look for the Red & Black SCA signs.

May Day
UPDATED Date: 27 April 2008
Time: 10am to 5pm
Hosted by the Barony of Caer Galen
Autocrat: Lady Lucrezia Tagliaferro (Maria Grundmann) 719-232-4534,
705 Beryl St., Broomfield, CO 80020-3514, spadaccina@gmail.com
Location: Roger's Grove, 220 Hover, Longmont, CO 80501
Fee: $5/adults & children 12 and up $3 children; babes in arms free;
Standard $3 nonmember surcharge applies to adults
Checks payable to "SCA, Inc. – Caer Galen"
Pets permitted on leashes (please clean up after your pets!)
Site is DRY

O hearken, most glorious Kingdom of the Outlands! The sweet siren call of spring is upon us once again and the just and honourable Barony of Caer Galen requires the assistance of all the Kingdom's budding lords and ladies to come to her aid in locating again the fabled Unicorn Horn. It has come to the attention of the Horn's current guardian that this marvelous and magical device has been whisked away to an otherworldly and fey castle in the sky and we need children of all ages to come and fetch it back for us. The noblest and fairest of heart and mien will be granted the gracious task of guarding our Horn for us for the coming year.

Spring fever blossoms in all our hearts! Come to our fair location on this fair day and join us in our revelry...the ONLY event in the great and wide Kingdom of the Outlands for children of all ages! Dance the maypole! Dance some more in period dances for young and old. Partake of crafts, prizes, games, and most of all...a chance to behold the ethereal beauty of the Unicorn Horn. And of course, the Puppet Court.

A potluck lunch will be had; please list all ingredients for those with food allergies. Tables, chairs, outlets, and grills available (bring your own charcoal and firestarting apparatus). Kitchen available: no stove, but there are counters, a sink, and a refrigerator.

Directions to site:
From 1-25: Take I-25 north to Longmont and exit at 119. Take 119 into Longmont (west, or left off the freeway exit ramp). At Nelson turn right. Take Nelson to Hover and turn right again. The park is a short hop north of Nelson on the northeast corner of Hover and Boston Ave. There is ample parking (49 spaces).
From Boulder: Take 119 into Longmont and turn left (north) onto Hover. The park is on the northeast corner of Hover and Boston Ave.

Baronesses Gambit
May 3, 2008
Site Opens at 9AM, Site Closes at dusk
Hosted by Incipient Canton of Ravenhyrst
Location: Castlewood Canyon State Park 2989 South Highway 83
Franktown, Colorado 80016
Autocrats: THL Angus Montgomery the Forrester lord-forrester@comcast.net
720-560-0627 No calls after 10PM, please
Master Maelmardane ravenskeep@scisys.net
719-385-0812 No calls after 9PM, please
Site Fee: $10 per adult/ $5 per child (over 6)
Feast Fee: included, bring a potluck dish, please
$3 non-member surcharge for all non-member adults
No pre-registration available.
Make checks payable to: "SCA Inc. – Caerthe"
Site is discreetly wet – no glass containers

The great Baroness of Caerthe, Mary of Blackthorn has spent this long, cold winter dreaming of the great fighters of her realm. She sent a missive to the beautiful Baroness of Dragonsspine, Lydia of the Pines, to challenge her to a chess match at the first thaw. At the behest of their Excellencies, fighters will meet on the chessboard of battle to support their most excellent Baronesses. Each move on the chess board by the baronesses will be fought on the tourney field by their fighters.

There will be fencing, we will tell you more later as details become available.

Their Excellencies' talents range beyond the battlefield and in this spirit so shall our competitions. A chess tourney will be held throughout the event. The final game may be played on the tourney field so their Excellencies can cheer the minds of their great populace. A second tourney of other period games will also be held with the winners and prizes announced at evening court.

Evening feast main course will be provided. Please bring a potluck side dish, vegetable or dessert to share with 6 or more people. You may be able to cook on site. There is power on site, plus a sink, and BBQ Grills.
Tentative menu: BBQ Beef Brisket
Mahogany Chicken with Sesame Vinaigrette
Baked Macaroni & Cheese

Please note that any dietary restrictions will be accommodated in the main dishes. Please make all requests to the feast coordinator by April 1to the Autocrat.

Directions to site: To reach the main entrance of Castlewood Canyon State Park, take I-25 to Castle Rock, exit onto Founders Parkway eastbound. Take Founders Parkway to Hwy 86, go east on Hwy 86 four miles to Franktown. Turn South on Hwy 83 (S. Parker Rd) and go five miles south to the main park entrance.
To enter the site, you will pass the gate attendant. Please show them your SCA card to pass thru the main gate.

Outlands Spring Coronation
Date: May 10th-11th, 2008
Site: The Saturday site opens at 10am and closes no later than 9pm
Sponsoring Group: Barony of Unser Hafen
Location: Trinity Lutheran Church, 3000 35th Ave Greeley CO 80634
See the May Outlandish Herald or the web site for information on the Sunday site.
Event Steward: THL Nikolaos Demetriou ho Toxotes (Dan Brandow),
182 21st Ave, Greeley CO 80631-1732, 970-356-0943, fencer_dan@yahoo.com
Site Fee: Adults: $10, Children from 6-12 years: $4, under 6 free. Paid qualify for a $1 discount. A $30 family cap for families (parents and children) applies.
$3 non-member surcharge will be applied.
Feast Fee: Adults: $8, Children 6-12: $4, under 6: free. Paid reservations qualify for an additional $1 discount. Family cap does not apply to feast.
Checks made payable to "SCA Inc. – Unser Hafen"
This is a dry site.
No chairs from the site may be taken outside.

The sun breaks from behind the clouds, warming the lands touched by the cold and banishing the snow. Like the breaking sun above, the Coronation of the Royal Heirs warms our heart with the knowledge that our mighty lands and Royal line continues, a tradition of strength stretching back to ancient days. Come join the Barony of Unser Hafen and our mighty Kingdom as we welcome the newest Crown and heir to that grand tradition in a style befitting Their rank.

Hotel and Crash Space Information: As this is UNC's graduation weekend, there are few if any rooms available in Greeley. The Hampton Inn, Loveland (intersection of I-25 and HWY 34) has a block of rooms available. Phone 970-593-1400. THL EllaAnne de Kari is coordinating crash space. Please call or email (970-482-1586 or ellaanne@gmail.com).

Feast and Reservation Steward: Mistress Theresea die Tanzerin (Terry Foppe), 328 Diamond Dr. Fort Collins, CO, 80525, 970-613-0945, tmf15.3@netzero.com
Reservations: Paid reservations *received* before May 1st qualify for a discount. Feast reservations are limited to 125. To reserve, send in the following information with your check/money order: SCA names, legal names, group, age (to qualify for discounts) and home group. All reservations go to the Feast Steward, Mistress Theresea. Make your check out to "SCA Inc. – Barony of Unser Hafen."

Directions: Take the King's Highway to Colorado exit 257A onto US-34 East. Continue East towards Greeley. Turn right on 35th Avenue and the site will be on the left in less than a quarter mile.
Web site: www.unserhafen.org/2008Coronation.html

Quest For Camelot
Hosted by The Kingdom of Northshield
Within The Shire of Schattentor
May 15-18, 2008
Site opens at noon Thursday May 15th and closes at noon on May 18th
The Nemo Guest Ranch in Nemo S.D.
<nemo@nemoguestranch.com>
Contact: Lady Kolfrosta at 605-430-0973 (No phone calls before 8am or after 9pm)
e-mail: quest@schattentor.org
Site fee: $5.00 for ages16 & up. $2.00 ages 6 to 15. Five and under free. Camping: $8.00 per tent per night, families with multiple tents $13.00 per night for all tents.
The will also be a $3.00 non-member fee
Checks payable to "SCA, Inc. Shire of Schattentor"
Site is discreetly wet (some areas restricted)
Absolutely no in-ground fires.

Come to the Black Hills this spring and join us in our Quest to make Camelot live again! At Quest for Camelot, the New Kingdom of Northshield defends its borders against the incursions of the Outlands, Calontir, and Artemesia.

Current Planned Activities include light & heavy weapons, thrown weapons, archery, children's activities, and Arts and Sciences Competitions with the theme of "The Quest for Excalibur" including a brewing competition, as well as Bardic and Equestrian.

Cabins: 20% off in-season prices. 13 cabins will be available. Must reserve with the Nemo Guest Ranch 1-605-578-2708. Reservations must be made by May 3rd. A 33% deposit is required at time of reservation.

Other: Dogs have a one time fee of $8.00/Dog and must be on leash at all times (This will be heavily enforced). Horses $8.00 per night, must bring own feed. Water provided. May wish to bring own panels, site does have some.

Site has showers, handicapped (please contact event stewards). Some cabins have modern facilities. Merchants are welcome – no extra fees. Absolutely no in-ground fires. Above ground fires will be determined by the Fire Marshal the week of the event.

Visit our website at www.schattentor.org/event/quest for latest information.

For camping reservations contact Lady Skadi at skadi@rap.midco.net

Directions: Please see the map on their web site. http://www.nemoguestranch.com

Grand Outlandish Tournaments XXXV
May 21-26, 2008
Site opens noon on Wednesday and closes noon on Monday
Hosted by the Barony of al-Barran
Torrance County Park, Edgewood, NM 87015
Autocrat: THL J.T. Whoreschum (Christopher Oldaker)
phone: 505.315.6095 email: GOT_Autocrat@al-Barran.org

AHOY OUTLANDERS
The time has come to hoist sails and plot course for Grand Outlandish Tournaments XXXV.

Their Excellencies of al-Barran, Gregor and Monica, do request you to sharpen your cutlass and prepare your boarding parties for this year's maritime theme which is sure to have something to please everyone's taste.

You can be sure to see...

ROAMING SHIP BATTLES - SIEGE COOKING (LIKE NO OTHER)
BOARDING PARTIES ENCOUNTERS - WORLD CLASS ARCHERY
MERCHANT SHIPS FROM EVERY CORNER OF THE WORLD
AND FIELD GAMES FOR ONE AND ALL

So make plans to weigh anchor and set course for the rolling grassy plains of Torrance County Park from May 22nd at 12PM thru the 26th at 12 PM. (Preregister and be here on the 21st)

So come along and enjoy al-Barron's Hospitality and a little Pyrate Mischief.

Directions: From Albuquerque, take I-40 East to Exit 187 (Edgewood), go South (right) 0.2 miles to NM 333 (Historic 66), turn East (left) and go 4.4 miles to Lexco Rd (look for Mountain View Elementary), turn South (right) and go 2.4 miles to Martinez Rd (gravel), turn West (right) and go 2.4 miles and look for a small sign on the left with "Torrance County Park". Turn left on this unnamed road and travel south for .03 miles to the park.

www.grandoutlandish.org

CROSSROADS

Thursday-Monday May 22-26, 2008
Opens Thursday at 2pm, Closes Monday at 3pm
Hosted by the Canton of Hawks Hollow
Quint Valley Fairgrounds-Byers, CO.
Autocrat-THL Roland O'Rourke 303-341-5765, rollinator@comcast.net
Fees: Site-Adults (10 and up) $15, Children $8, Day passes (no overnight) $6,
Family Cap (2 adults and 2+ children) $50
Feast-(100 available)-$8 (age 4 and up)
Meal Plan (70 available) - Adults (10 and up) $15, Children $7
Meal Plan is only available to those who provide paid reservations (send to Troll)
Make checks to "SCA Inc. –HawksHollow" Site is discreetly wet
Reservations can be made through the Acceps system

The winter snows have receded and the Caerthen lowlands have grown green under the gentle caress of Spring. Towards fates and futures, both noble and unknown, traders, warriors and wanderers have resumed their journeys upon the highways of these mighty Outlands. Among these many roads across the land of this Dream, there exists an intersection where stands a shady wooded hollow inhabited by a happy band of Canton folk. With broad smiles and fevered brows, these gentles work with diligence and great enthusiasm, for they know the Crossroads' call.

The Canton of Hawk's Hollow bids welcome to summers warm return and beckons all to gather with them at the Crossroads, otherwise known as the Quint Valley Fairgrounds in Byers, CO (a brisk 30 minute drive east of Denver). Those, who hear the call, shall be treated to more carefully crafted, hand-tooled event excitement than ever before. Cantons will clash, dice will be cast, tournaments fought, battle scenarios and equestrian prowess wrought. Feasting, bardic and classes too. Listen and prepare, for the Crossroads are calling you!

Located on the northern outskirts of Byers, CO (full grocery, liquor, bank, hotel and gas), the fairgrounds offers considerable space for camping that will appeal to a variety of overnight event tastes: Drum till you Drop, Party and Play, Family and areas specifically for archers and equestrians. Among the trees and grassy fields, the site offers potable water, flush and portable toilets, permanent equestrian facilities, substantial parking and a full indoor feast/class facility. Dogs must be leashed, fires (unless a ban is in effect) must be accompanied by fire extinguishers and visible alcohol in period containers only (don't flaunt it if ya' got it).

Event/Activity Schedule:

Friday	Clash of the Cantons (tentative)
	The Dicing Dragon (the period gaming exhibition you know and love)
Saturday	Bofferhawk Egg Hunt (child/parent activity)
	The Crossroads Championship
	A&S Classes
	Kingdom Archery Qualifier
	Feast
	The Crossroads Bardic
Sunday	Kingdom Archery
	Heavy and Light Battle Scenarios
	Equestrian Demo/Competition
	The Crossroads Cup (Monty Python inspired mayhem)
	Crossroads Cup-Hat Competition (wear your finest period hat to the races)
	Ghost Stories Round the Campfire (bring your best ghost story to scare the kiddies)

Contacts: **Autocrat**-THL Roland O'Rourke 303-341-5765, rollinator@comcast.net
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Directions-Best route to I-70 and I-225 intersection. I-70 east 33 miles and take exit #316 for Byers. Turn north (left) on Main St. (US-36) and proceed for approx ½ mile to Quint Valley Fairgrounds entrance (left). SCA signs will be posted.

For greater detail on everything Crossroads (including the Feast menu), visit the Crossroads web presence at www.scahawkshollow.org

Lonely Mountain Defender
Date: July 10-13, 2008
Site Times: Site opens Thursday at 12:00 pm and closes Sunday at 12:00 pm
Sponsoring Group: Shire of Drygestan
Location: Graduation Flats (Santa Fe National Forest),
Forest Road 289, Jemez, New Mexico, 87025
Autocrat: THLady Maimuna al-Bukhariyya (Kate Daniel)
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Please, no calls to the Autocrats after 9PM MDT
Site Fee: $10.00 for adults (ages 17+) (+$3.00 non-member surcharge, if applicable)
$5.00 for children ages 3 to 16, Free for children ages 2 and younger
Checks made payable to "SCA Inc. – Drygestan"
Site Status: Wet, and sometimes Rainy

Greetings all good Gentles and be of good cheer for the great Lonely Mountain Defender draws nigh! Enjoy days of frivolity, fighting and fun in the lovely high mountain meadow. And, back by popular demand, a lower site-fee for adults: the site fee for adults is reduced to $10.00!

Lonely Mountain is at an elevation of approximately 9500 feet, in the midst of the Jemez Mountains and the Santa Fe National Forest, between Los Alamos, NM, and Cuba, NM. Be prepared for hot afternoons, occasional rains, and cold nights. There is no water on-site, so be sure to bring plenty. The US Forest Service will set fire restrictions, if any, at the time of the event. As in years past, please stay updated on the Forest closures and event news on our website (www.drygestan.outlands.org). Our camping is restricted to the meadow-side of the road (as in years past). There will be no merchanting. There is RV/trailer parking available, but no hook-ups, in a meadow not far from the site (about 100 yards away). Please let the Autocrat know if you are bringing an RV or travel-trailer so that we may accommodate.

The mountain meadow that is the location of Lonely Mountain Defender is about 2 miles down Forest Road 289 (a dirt road) from NM Highway 4. Forest Road 289 is also known as St. Peter's Dome Road. The directions can be accessed from www.mapquest.com, using the ending destination of "St. Peter's Dome Road and Highway 4, Jemez, NM 87025."

Particulars around activities at the event and complete directions to site will be posted in subsequent Outlandish Heralds and on our website (www.drygestan.outlands.org).

While this is not an SCA Function, a Wake for THL Sean will be held on April 26th, 2008, at Mountain Range Shadows Clubhouse; 8401 Mummy Range Street; Fort Collins, CO 80528. It will start at 3pm and will end about midnight. There will be dinner and dancing. It is a potluck dinner so please bring a dish to share. The site will be wet so please bring whatever you wish to toast Sean with.

As the parking lot is somewhat small, please consider carpooling with a designated driver. Crash space will also be available for those traveling from afar, so please contact either THL Ekaterina [ekaterinadimitriu @ yahoo.com] or Mistress Theresea [TMF15.3 @ netzero.com]. Crash space may also be available for those who over imbibe.

Donations will be gleefully accepted to help pay for the site and for the traveling expenses of Sean's family who will be in attendance.

The dress code is SCA Garb or Plaid.

CALL FOR RESUMES

Corporate Treasurer

The Board of Directors is accepting applications for the position of Corporate Treasurer. This is a part-time, paid position, which requires approximately 5-10 hours per week except when finalizing the yearly budget.

Applicants must be available for at least the October quarterly Board Discussion Session (typically held on Friday), in addition to the October Board meeting (typically on Saturday). Additional traveling may be required.

Applicants must have immediate access to internet, PC and printer, possess and have experience with Excel (preferred) or other spreadsheet applications.

Duties of the Treasurer

1. Maintain knowledge of the organization and personal commitment to its goals and objectives.
2. Create (with outside resources) a system of investing for accounts other than those controlled by the corporate office.
3. Work with the President, the Society Exchequer, the Vice President for Corporate Operations and the outside accountant to ensure all financial filings are maintained.
4. Work with the Society Exchequer to insure that our relationship with third party financial vendors (i.e. banks) are maintained.
5. Implement and maintain a planned giving program.
6. Understand financial accounting for nonprofit organizations.
7. Work with the President and the VP of Corporate Operations to ensure that appropriate financial reports are made available to the board on a timely basis.
8. Prepare and present the annual budget to the Board of Directors.
9. Develop and maintain internal control policies, guidelines, and procedures for activities such as budget administration.
10. Analyze the financial details of past, present, and expected operations in order to identify development opportunities and areas where improvement is needed.
11. Evaluate needs for procurement of funds and investment of surpluses, and make appropriate recommendations.
12. Ensures development and board review of financial policies and procedures.
13. Maintain current knowledge of organizational policies and procedures, federal and state policies and directives, and current accounting standards.

Interested applicants should send a letter of interest, together with modern and SCA qualifications, hardcopy to Renee Signorotti, Society for Creative Anachronism, P.O. Box 360789, Milpitas, CA 95036-0789, with courtesy copies to directors@sca.org and treasurer@sca.org.
Applications must be received by June 1, 2008.

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Cathyn Lesanges	Earl Cathyn Fitzgerald	Middle	7/10
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Ralph Odell	Sir Caveron Odell	Midrealm	7/10
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Owen Shribman	Baron Rowen Killian	Caid	7/10
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Michael Andrews	Master Michael Fenwick of Fotheringhay	Ansteorra	1/10
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Do you know any of the nominees on this list? Would you or someone you know make a good Director? *Tell us about them!* The Board seeks input from the membership concerning any of the individuals on the list below. Your commentary is very much needed and gratefully received. In addition, new nominees are always needed and strongly encouraged. Any member may nominate any member, including themselves, for the Board. If you know someone who you think would make a good Board member, please nominate them. Remember that all information in these letters is kept completely confidential, and no one elected to the Board ever sees commentary about themselves.

Please send all comments and nominations to Gabrielle Underwood, Board Recruiting Ombudsman, 209 Cochrane St. Apt 1. Port Perry, Ontario (Canada) L9L 1L6 or e-mail recruiting@sca.org. Please include your name and address in any correspondence sent concerning these matters, and remember to include the name and address of anyone you nominate for the Board so that we may contact them. You will receive a response indicating that we received your correspondence - if you don't hear back from us promptly, we did not get your missive.

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Event Announcements for events held within the boundaries of the Outlands will be printed free of charge. Nearby groups from outside of the Outlands are invited to send their event information to the Outlandish Herald for publication on a space available basis.

Electronic submissions are preferred. Hardcopy submissions will be accepted in any readable form but will be subject to retyping. Event announcements may be edited for length when space limitations occur. Please do not use any special formatting or fonts when submitting event announcements. Deadline for the submission of event announcements is the 1st of the month prior to publication.

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* Name of the event
* Date of the event (day, month and Common Era year)
* Times of the event - when the site opens and closes,
* Name of the sponsoring group
* Mundane location of the site (site name, city, state, zip), and WRITTEN directions. Maps are optional.
* Autocrat information: both SCA and legal names, address, telephone number, email address if available.
* A concise schedule of fees, including a statement regarding non-member fees. If there are no fees associated with the event, that must be clearly stated.
* The statement "Checks payable to 'SCA, Inc - GROUP NAME' ".
* Alcohol Status (Wet, dry, discreetly wet, etc.)
* Any additional site restrictions or information.

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